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1. WE APPRECIATE DETAILED REPORT OF ENGLISH TESTING RESULTS DESCRIBED PARA 3 REFTEL, ESPECIALLY BORROWING TECHNIQUES EMPLOYED BY MINED.
2. IREX INFORMS US THAT THERE IS NO PROVISION IN ITS AGREEMENT WITH NCST FOR LANGUAGE TESTING, AND ROMANIANS RESPONDED TESTILY WHEN IREX SUGGESTED INFORMAL TESTING AT EMBASSY FEW YEARS BACK. ALTHOUGH IREX ADMITS TO CONSIDERABLE LANGUAGE DIFFICULTIES WITH ITS ROMANIAN GRANTEES, IT IS STUCK WITH "SENDING SIDE DECIDES" FORMULA WHICH IS UNLIKELY TO BE CHANGED. IREX SAYS PROBLEM SOMEWHAT ALLEVIATED BY 5 WEEK SUMMER LANGUAGE AND ORIENTATION COURSE WHICH IT CONDUCTS FOR ALL EE GRANTEES.
3. GIVEN IREX'S POSITION AND ASSUMING THAT IT WOULD BE MOVING IN THE WRONG DIRECTION TO ELIMINATE ENGLISH TESTING

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FOR FULBRIGHT GRANTEES, WE DO NOT SEE HOW DIFFE-

RENCES IN LANGUAGE STANDARDS CAN BE RECONCILED AT THIS
POINT, ALTHOUGH WE AGREE THAT IT WOULD BE DESIRABLE. KISSINGER

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